Complete and send this form, together was applicable fee(s), to: Mail Mail Stop ISSUb EE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 or <u>Fax</u> (571)-273-2885 INSTRUCTIONS: This form should be used for transmitting the ISSUE FEE and PUBLICATION FEE (if required). Blocks 1 through 5 should be completed where appropriate. All further correspondence including the Patent, advance orders and notification of maintenance fees will be mailed to the current correspondence address as indicated unless corrected below or directed otherwise in Block 1, by (a) specifying a new correspondence address; and/or (b) indicating a separate "FEE ADDRESS" for maintenance fee notifications. Note: A certificate of mailing can only be used for domestic mailings of the Fee(s) Transmittal. This certificate cannot be used for any other accompanying papers. Each additional paper, such as an assignment or formal drawing, must have its own certificate of mailing or transmission. CURRENT CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS (Note: Use Block 1 for any change of address) 09/21/2007 Certificate of Malling or Transmission

I hereby certify that this Fec(s) Transmittal is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Mail Stop ISSUE FEE address above, or being facsimite transmitted to the USPTO (571) 273-2885, on the date indicated below. WENDEROTH, LIND & PONACK, L.L.P. 2033 K STREET N. W. SUITE 800 WASHINGTON, DC 20006-1021 (Depositor's name (Signature APPLICATION NO. FILING DATE FIRST NAMED INVENTOR ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. CONFIRMATION NO. 10/695,780 10/30/2003 Mitsuaki Oshima 2003 1578 6918 TITLE OF INVENTION: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM APPLN, TYPE SMALL ENTITY ISSUÉ FEE DUE PUBLICATION FEE DUE PREV. PAID ISSUE FEE TOTAL FEE(S) DUE DATE DUE nonprovisional NO 51400 \$ 144D \$300 £1-700-12/21/2007 クレトしむ EXAMINER ART UNIT CLASS-SUBCLASS PHU, PHUONG M 2611 375-261000 Change of correspondence address or indication of "Fee Address" (37 CFR 1.363). 2. For printing on the patent front page, list (1) the names of up to 3 registered patent attorneys or agents OR, alternatively, Wenderoth, Lind & Change of correspondence address (or Change of Correspondence Address form PTO/SB/122) attached. Ponack, L.L.P. (2) the name of a single firm (having as a member a registered attorney or agent) and the names of up to 2 registered patent attorneys or agents. If no name is listed, no name will be printed. "Fee Address" indication (or "Fee Address" Indication form PTO/SB/47; Rev 03-02 or more recent) attached. Use of a Customer Number is required. 3. ASSIGNEE NAME AND RESIDENCE DATA TO BE PRINTED ON THE PATENT (print or type) PLEASE NOTE: Unless an assignee is identified below, no assignee data will appear on the patent. If an assignee is identified below, the document has been filed for recordation as set forth in 37 CFR 3.11. Completion of this form is NOT a substitute for filing an assignment. (A) NAME OF ASSIGNEE (B) RESIDENCE: (CITY and STATE OR COUNTRY) Matsushita Electric Industrial Osaka, Japan Please check the appropriate assignce category or categories (will not be printed on the patent): 🔲 Individual 🖫 Corporation or other private group entity 🔲 Government 4a. The following fee(s) are submitted: 4b. Payment of Fee(s); (Please first reapply any previously paid issue fue shown above) K Issue Fee A check is enclosed. Check No.: Publication Fee (No small entity discount permitted) Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the required fec(s), any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number (enclose an extra copy of this form). Advance Order - # of Copies 5. Change in Entity Status (from status indicated above) a. Applicant claims SMALL ENTITY status. See 37 CFR 1.27. D. Applicant is no longer claiming SMALL ENTITY 翻记s. See 37 CFR 1.27(g)(2). NOTE: The Issue Fee and Publication Fee (if required will not be accepted from anyone other than the applicant; a registered attorner or agent; or the assignee or other party in interest as shown by the records of the United States Patent applicanak Office. Authorized Signature Date October 31 12007 Typed or printed name Registration No. 41,471

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.311. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case range companying of processing the complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Paich and Fallows Stockers of the Complete Stockers of the

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unicontrol number.